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DRAFTED BY S/NM:NEWARNER:BB

8/16/73 EXT 23735

APPROVED BY S/NM:HRWELLMAN

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TO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

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E.O. 11652:N/A

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SUBJECT: OPIUM SEIZURE PROPOSAL BY MCDONALD

REF: ISLAMABAD 5887

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH GUIDANCE PROVIDED IN STATE 091823, MISSION SHOULD VERIFY THAT OPIUM AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE BY US FIRM WAS SEIZED IN ILLICIT TRAFFIC. EMBASSY ADVICE TO MCDONALD AS REPORTED PARA 2, ISLAMABAD 5030 WAS ACCURATE. IT WOULD APPEAR TO CONSTITUTE NO BAR TO SALE BY GOP TO AMERICAN FIRM THAT SEIZURE WAS MADE ON BASIS INFORMATION PROVIDED BY WOULD-BE PURCHASER.

2. ONLY PROPER PROCEDURE FOR MCDONALD, IN OUR VIEW, IS FOR HIM TO PROVIDE ANY INFORMATION HE MAY HAVE ON ILLICIT OPIUM STOCKS OR TRAFFICKERS TO ENFORCEMENT

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AUTHORITIES WITHOUT REGARD TO EVENTUAL DISPOSITION OF

OPIUM INVOLVED. ROGERS

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